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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Makoto SHIMOSAKA *et al.*
Title: APPARATUS FOR PULLING A
SINGLE CRYSTAL
Appl. No.: 10/633,487
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Examiner: Robert M. Kunemund
Art Unit: 1722

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD
OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner in the Final Office Action dated September 8, 2005 finally rejecting Claims 13 and 15-18.

☐ Applicant claims small entity status.

☐ Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

☒ Notice of Appeal Fee

☒ To be paid as detailed below

☐ Not required (Fee paid in prior appeal)

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	TOTAL FEE:	\$500.00

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Respectfully submitted,

Date March 8, 2006

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